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New Bedford, Mass. July 11th, 1923

Sec'y Numismatical Society
New York City, N.Y.

Respected Friend:

I saw in the Boston Transcript of July 5th, a column and a half, taken from the New York Evening Post, concerning the exhibition of your Society in the National Academy of Design.

The report is very interesting, so much so, that I wish I could have seen it, but that is impossible. If there is such a thing as a catalogue of the exhibition, will you please get one for me. I am not acquainted with any one in N.Y. of whom I can ask this favor. I will send you the money for it in advance if you will ~~the~~ tell me how much it is. I am not a numismast but would very much like to have this catalogue, for there must be things in it of interest to me. Trusting you will find it convenient to do this favor for me, I am

Yours respectfully
Edward Denham
Per F.S.M.

EDWARD DENHAM

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Mr. Edward Denham
128 School Street
New Bedford, Mass.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of July 11th, I am sending you under separate cover a copy of the catalogue of the Exhibition of the National Sculpture Society; the price is Two Dollars, and cheque or Money Order should be drawn to the National Sculpture Society.

I am not quite clear as to whether you are interested in the medals or the sculpture, but if you are interested in numismatics, perhaps you would care to consider becoming a member of our Society. I am enclosing a folder, together with an application card which I should be glad to present at the next meeting of the Council if you could see your way to accepting this invitation to associate yourself with our organization.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

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128 School St
New Bedford, Mass., Aug 13th, 1923

Mr. Sydney P. Noe
Am. Numismatic Society
New York City, N.Y.

Respected Friend:

Having received yours of July 13th, I did not mention anything concerning the American Numismatic Society which you invited me to join. I knew very well there is a similar society in this state at Boston, and I thought it would be better, ~~and~~ or perhaps more loyal if I joined the one in my own State. I do not know but that I may have an invitation to join it, for I some-time previously had occasion to write to it. The matter concerning which I wrote to Boston has been attended to.

I do not think I had better join either society at present, and then find I cannot keep up my dues, for there are many things which call for my attention. May be I will feel a little different by and by, but just now it does not seem as if I ought to go to any extra expenses. I will, however, with your permission, hold your invitation, until I can see my

way more clearly.

My interest in numismatics is largely, I might say, almost entirely in relation to the history of coinage as connected with the political history of the country. At the same time I have some interest in it in regard to its designs so far as they are finely executed and finished.

Trusting you will understand my reasons for not answering your letter in full at an earlier date, I am

Yours respectfully
Edward Denham
Per F. S. M.